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ORE OPERATING PROCEDURE - ORDER NUMBER

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SUBJECT: ORE Intelligence Support to the Office of Policy Coordination

I. ORE Responsibilities

- 1. In accordance with approved statements of functions, dated 1 July 1950, ORE is responsible for:
 - a. Providing intelligence support to operational intelligence offices of CIA.
 - b. Coordinating the intelligence production of the intelligence agencies represented on the IAC.
 - 2. ORE support to OPC will be rendered by:
 - a. Consultation and advice.
 - b. Evaluations.
 - c. Intelligence production by ORE.
 - d. Arranging for production by IAC agencies.
 - e. Negotiation of research projects through external research facilities.

II. Policies Concerning ORE Support

- 1. The fullest possible use of consultation to satisfy the intelligence requirements of OPC will be made before production is undertaken.
- 2. All requests for intelligence production to support OPC will be passed to D/Pub for scheduling, coordination, and other necessary arrangements.
- 3. Wherever appropriate the facilities of other intelligence agencies will be employed to meet the requirements of OPC.
- 4. Intelligence production in support of ORE's primary mission will normally take precedence over production for operational purposes.

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5. Conflicts in deadlines and priorities on production will be adjudicated by the Assistant Director, ORE.

III. Division Responsibilities

- 1. D/Pub is responsible for arranging for intelligence production by the TAC intelligence agencies in support of OPC.
- 2. D/Pub, in collaboration with appropriate ORE components, is responsible for establishing deadlines and priorities for intelligence production in support of OPC.
- 3. D/Pub is responsible for schedules and arrangements for ORE intelligence production in support of OPC after consultation has been held between ORE divisions and appropriate components of OPC.
- h_{\bullet} . The Plans and Policy Staff is responsible for assisting OPC through External Research arrangements.
- 5. Each ORE division is responsible for nominating one liaison officer for intelligence-support matters concerning OPC. It is the responsibility of these officers to consult with and advise their opposite-numbers on substantive matters; arrange for meetings to discuss intelligence problems within ORE divisions; and to ensure that all requests from these offices for intelligence production are brought to the attention of D/Pub. (ORE Division nominations to carry out this function should be made to the S/PP by

 .) S/PP will notify ORE divisions of the liaison personnel appointed in divisions of OPC.